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Appellants' reply brief filed on January 2, 2005 has been noted.

With respect to Appellants' argument regarding Detlefs and/or Chan (see Appellants' remarks, page 2), it should be noted that Detlefs teaches error messages that identify source positions in a computer program and that Chan provides a means for identifying paths of execution (i.e., traces) through the computer program, as acknowledged by Appellants. Together, Detlefs and Chan, rather than just Detlefs alone, teach an error message that includes a program trace that identifies a path through the computer program.

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